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TO USMISSION USUN NEW YORK IMMEDIATE  
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INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORG, ESTC, UNSC, SW, SF

SUBJECT: SWEDEN AMENDS SOUTH AFRICA ARMS EMBARGO DECREE

REFS: (A) USUN 610; (B) STATE 34219 (EXDIS); (C)  
STATE 38198

1. FOR USUN: DEPARTMENT CONCURS IN YOUR INFORMING ISRAELI  
UN MISSION OF REPEAL OF NON-RETROACTIVE CLAUSE FROM SWEDISH  
DECREE IMPLEMENTING SOUTH AFRICAN ARMS EMBARGO. DEP ASST  
SECRETARY HELMAN (IO) HAS ALSO MENTIONED DEVELOPMENT TO  
ISRAELI MINISTER BAR-ON, WHO FIRST BROUGHT MATTER TO OUR  
ATTENTION. YOU SHOULD ALSO ASK SWEDISH MISSION WHETHER IT  
INTENDS TO REPORT THIS AMENDMENT OF ITS IMPLEMENTING DECREE  
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TO UN SYG IN SAME MANNER AS IT REPORTED THE ORIGINAL DECREE  
(S/12508), ASKING SYG TO HAVE AMENDMENT CIRCULATED  
AS A DOCUMENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THIS WOULD PROVIDE  
A HELPFUL CLARIFICATION OF THE RECORD.

2. FOR TEL AVIV: YOU SHOULD OF COURSE ALTER YOUR TALKING  
POINTS WITH BEGIN TO TAKE ACCOUNT OF SWEDISH ACTION. WE

LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING RESULTS OF THIS DEMARCHE.

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## Message Attributes

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